

card showers
“Frankie” Lee Lakey Nichols will celebrate her 80th birthday on Tuesday, Feb. 23. Her family is having an open house from 1 to 3 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Saturday, Feb. 20, at Equity Meeting Room, 123 N. River, St. Francis. Her children are Lorna Jo, Loyall and Barbara Nichols and Dawn Nichols of Colby, Denise Packard of Grainfield and Dru and Tracy Nichols of Laramie, Wyo. Cards may be sent to 123 E. First Street, St. Francis, Kan. 67756-3503. She requests no gifts.

activities
Tours of the 1907 Victorian House at 202 W. 13th are from **1 to 5 p.m. Wednesday through Monday.** Closed on Tuesday.
The **High Plains Museum**, 1717 Cherry Ave., is open from **9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday and from 1 to 4 p.m. Sunday.**
The **Carnegie Arts Center** is open from **10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday, 1 to 4 p.m. on Sunday and 1 to 6 p.m. on Monday** at 120 W. 12th. The center is always in need of hosts and hostesses from on Sundays. New monthly exhibits and you are invited to visit the gift shop.

The **Goodland Public Library** is open from **10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Thursday** and from **10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday.** Story Hour for preschool kids, ages 3 to 6, are Wednesday mornings 10 to 11 a.m., Wednesday afternoon 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. or Thursday morning 10 to 11 a.m. For information call (785) 899-5461 or stop by the library.
Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Sherman County is seeking mentors and children to mentor. Call 890-3665.
Goodland Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS) will meet from **6 to 7:30 p.m. the first Monday of the month** from September to May at the First Baptist Church, 12th and Main.
Diabetes Support Group meets at **4 p.m. the last Tuesday** of each month in the large board room at Goodland Regional Medical Center. Patients, family and friends meet each month for a speaker and educational program. Call Sarah Linton

the calendar

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The **Tuesday Flick** for this week is “The Red Shoes” (1946) at **1:30 p.m.** today at the **Goodland Public Library**, 812 Broadway.
The **Elementary Art Exhibit** will be on display at the **Carnegie Arts Center**, 120 W. 12th, until Sunday, Feb. 28.
Vision Source of Colby and Goodland, 1002 Broadway, are offering **free vision assessments for three-year-old children on Thursday and Friday, Feb. 26.** To schedule an appointment (785) 899-3654.
Saturday Children’s Art Classes are from **10 to 11 a.m. on Saturday, Feb. 27** at the Carnegie Arts Center. They will be finger painting with shaving cream. The classes will be taught by Hannah Schlosser.
Sen. Ralph Ostmeyer, Rep. Jim Morrison and Rep. Dan Johnson will have their **Legislative Town Hall Meeting from 7 to 8 a.m. on Saturday, Feb. 27**, at Goodland High School Auditorium, 1209 Cherry.
Prairie Land Food distribution is from **10 to 11 a.m. on Saturday, Feb. 27**, at the Goodland Elks Lodge back door. For information call 821-4364 pr 899-8281 or order online at www.prairielandfood.com.
The Goodland Masonic Lodge, 519 Center, will have its **third annual ham and bean and corn bread feed** with homemade ice cream from **5 to 7:30 p.m. on Monday.** Money will be used for scholarships and for Shrine Bowl band camp students.
The **Pride of the Prairie Orchestra** presents our Mozart to

Movies jeans and T-shirts concert on **Sunday, Feb. 28, at 2:30 p.m.** (Mountain Time) at the Colby Community College Frahm Theater.
There will be a **Benefit Soup Supper and Dance for Blayze Bahe on Saturday, March 6**, at the Elks Lodge, 1523 Arcade. The bake sale will be from 4 until gone. The soup supper will be from 4 to 7 p.m. \$7 for adults and \$3 for 10 and under. The dance with Scott King as DJ will be from 9 to midnight.
Tickets are on sale on Monday for “A Dress Rehearsal for Murder” at the Carnegie Arts Center. The performance is at 6:30 p.m. on Saturday, March 20, and 2 p.m., on Sunday, March 21, at the Goodland Elks Lodge, 16th and Arcade. Tickets are \$30 and \$25 for arts council members. For information call (785) 890-6442.
AARP Tax-Aide counseling, preparation, e-filing and teaching service will help you file your 2009 Tax Return on **Friday afternoons** through April 9 at Goodland Public Library, 8th and Broadway, or Senior Adult Center, 15th and Center. Call (785) 890-7245 for information.
senior menu
Today: Chef salad with meat on the side, mixed fruit with banana, garlic bread, blueberry dessert squares. **Monday:** Cook’s choice entree, green beans, mandarin oranges, bread and pudding. **Tuesday:** Chili with beans, applesauce gelatin, crackers and cinnamon roll. **Wednesday:** Hamburger, potato salad, apricots, bun and crisp rice bar. **Thursday:** Turkey, sweet potatoes, coleslaw, bread and pineapple. **Friday:** Tuna

information call 890-7242.
Goodland Alcoholics Anonymous meets at **8 p.m. Monday**, closed meeting, **Wednesday**, the book meeting, **and Saturday**, an open meeting, at 1013 Center. For Alcoholics Anonymous, call Rob at 890-3023 or Linda at 399-2353.
Goodland Al-Anon Serenity Seekers group meets at **5:30 on Wednesdays** at 1013 Center. For information call Cheryl at 890-3023.
Goodland Adult Children of Alcoholics meets at **6 p.m. on Fridays** at 1013 Center. For information call Laura or Marilyn at 821-4277 or 821-2862.
The “Freedom Today” group of **Narcotics Anonymous** meets at **8 p.m. Tuesdays and 8 p.m. Fridays** at 1013 Center. Call 890-8369.
Bird City Alcoholics Anonymous group meets at **6:30 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Fridays** at the Senior Center on 4th Street. **Narcotics Anonymous meets at 6:30 (Mountain Time) on Tuesdays** at the Senior Center. Call (785) 734-2734 for more information.
Stratton “AA by the Book” Alcoholics Anonymous group meets at **7 p.m. Thursdays** for a beginners open meeting. Families and young people welcome. Call (719) 348-5398 for men and (719) 346-8553 for women. On U.S. Highway 24 go to Statton and it is the second house on the left, 513 Iola Street.
Fibromyalgia and Chronic Myofascial Pain Support Group meets from **6:30 to 8:30 p.m. the third Wednesday** of every month in the Emergency Medical Services building, 257 15th St., in Burlington. Call Debbie at 719-346-4612.

area events
The **USS Maddox Destroyer Association** (DD731, DD622 and DD 168) will have its reunion on Thursday, Aug. 26 to Sunday, Aug. 29, in Philadelphia, Pa. For information contact Dennis Stokhaug, 571 W. 14562, Muskego, Wis. 53150 or call (262) 679-9409 or email maddox64@aol.com.
Bob Ross Instructors will be at the Dane G. Hansen Museum from 8 to 11 a.m. and noon to 2 p.m. (Mountain Time) on Saturday painting “Grandpa’s Barn” and on Sunday painting “The Magic Bridge.” For

information cal (785) 689-4846 or go to www.hansenmuseum.org. All you need to bring is a roll of paper towels, all other supplies are provided.
Prairie Museum of Art and History, 1905 S. Franklin, in Colby is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Central Time Tuesday through Friday and 1 to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.
thrift store
Anyone wanting to donate to the Goodland Churches Thrift Shop, 1002 Main, should call 890-2007. The store is accepting all types of donations but please call to set up time to drop off your donation.
health department
The Sherman County Health Department at 1622 Broadway is open from 8 a.m. to noon and 1 to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.
Blood pressures; infants’, children’s and adult’s immunizations; health assessments for Kan Be Healthy, daycare and school entry; fasting blood sugar and hemoglobin; and family planning available by appointment.
Sharps containers are available free. Call 890-4888.
WIC program available.
If you have questions, concerns or complaints about child care, call the health department.
Water Testing — The Northwest Local Environmental Protection Group does well evaluations, including testing for bacteria and nitrates.
To schedule an evaluation or discuss environmental concerns, call the Health Department at 890-4888.
hospital volunteers
Gift shop hours are 9 a.m. to noon and 1 to 4 p.m.; a.m. and p.m. volunteers are in the gift shop.
Today: Lori Leonard, a.m. and Linda Woods, courtesy. **Monday:** Sherryl Ketter, a.m., Karen Coon, p.m. and Woods, courtesy. **Tuesday:** Debbie Lucas, a.m. and Emma VanVleet, courtesy. **Wednesday:** Shirley Hayden, a.m., Faye Paxton, p.m. and Woods, courtesy. **Thursday:** Paxton, a.m. and VanVleet, courtesy. **Friday:** Avis Alcorn, a.m. and Woods, courtesy.

obituaries

Delbert Wayne Powell

Delbert Wayne Powell, 84, St. Francis. retired Sherman County farmer, died Wednesday, Feb. 10, 2010, at the Good Samaritan Home of St. Francis.
On March 13, 1925, he was born to Edwin Leroy and Millie A. (Weaver) Powell at the family home in rural Cheyenne County southwest of Bird City. He attended South Star School until the eighth grade and continued at the Bird City High School.
In 1943 he enlisted in the U.S. Army. Mr. Powell worked in Denver for a period of time with Republic Drugs but returned to Goodland where he worked for the B.E. Bridges Company. He later relocated to St. Francis where he worked as a mechanic for Hancock Motors, Nolan Motors and Bressler Daniels.
On Nov. 7, 1947, he and Rosemary Frances Stinehagan were married in Goodland. The couple bought ground, which once was Chauncey Dewey’s Western Headquarters. The couple grew wheat, corn, sunflowers and raised black Angus cattle. Mr. Powell also grew watermelon and cantaloupe. He also worked as a police officer for a short time and the couple opened the Montgomery Ward store in 1965 in addition to their farming and ranching.
Mr. Powell was a member of the Upper Republican Water District, Farmers Union and American Agricultural Movement. He was a committeeman in the Shermanville Township of Sherman County and belonged to the Goodland Elks Lodge.
He was a member of the First Christian Church and also a member of the Center Church Association located south of Bird City.
In his younger years he loved to race stock cars and became a flagman when he quit racing. He remained a member of the Cheyenne County Stock Car Association.
Mr. Powell was member of the Tri State Antique Auto Club and the Tri State Antique Engine and Thresher Association. He loved restoring antique tractors, small engines and steam engines and was a certified steam engine boiler inspector and operator.
He was an avid reader and was interested in the Native Americans of the area, battles of Cheyenne County and the area. Mr. Powell loved collecting and learning about spear and arrow points and the Paleo Indians who had a habitation site on the family farm.
Preceding him in death were his parents; a son, Duane Carroll Powell, a brother, Elmer Powell; and three sisters, Darlene Powell, Zava Alengi and Zella Durbin.
Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Kathy Thibedeau of Norton and Jan (Sam) Washburn of Lewisville, Texas; a sister, Wilma (Clyde) Gleason of Plainville; a brother, Ronald (Velta) Powell of Golden Valley, Ariz.; two brothers-in-law, Doug Stinehagen of Colorado Springs, Colo. and Don (Ruby) Crumly of Sulphur Springs, Texas; two grandsons; a granddaughter; and two great grandchildren.
A memorial service will be held at a later date.

Mary Schippert

Mary Schippert, 86, Castle Rock, Colo., longtime Goodland doll maker and quilter, died Monday, Feb. 15, 2010, at Assured Assisted Living in Castle Rock.
She was born on March 27, 1923, to Ed A. and Frances Leona (Vette) Kurz at Elmwood, Neb. Mrs. Schippert attended primary and middle school in York, Neb. and Colby. In 1955 she graduated from Sherman Community High School.
On Aug. 12, 1941, she and Paul E. Schippert were married at Atwood and the couple made their home in Goodland. She had worked at Higdon Rexall Drug store, Malpert’s and Gibsons. Mrs. Schippert helped at Good Samritan Center and made quilts with the Emmanuel Lutheran Church women..
Mrs. Schippert belonged to the Emmanuel Lutheran Church, lifetime member of Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary and Business and Professional Women.
Preceding her in death were her husband, her parents, three brothers, Norman Kunz, Alfred Kunz



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correction

In the obituary on page two of the Tuesday, Feb. 16, edition of The Goodland Star-News a survivor was left out in the obituary of Irma Irene Walker. Added to the survivors is a sister, Willa McAllister of Eugene, Ore.
The mistake was due to incomplete information given to the paper.

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The Goodland Star-News will correct any mistake or misunderstanding in a news story. Please call (785) 899-2338 to report errors.

Ronald W. Washburn

Ronald W. Washburn, 70, Pine Bluff, Wyo., former Goodland businessman, died Monday evening, Feb. 15, 2010, at Veterans Affairs Medical Center of Cheyenne, Wyo.
He was born on Dec. 4, 1939, to James R. and Waneta (Fry) Washburn in Pasadena, Calif.
In 1958 he graduated from Sherman Community High School of Goodland. On June 26, 1959, he enlisted in the U.S. Navy and was discharged on May 16, 1963. He returned to Kansas where he later purchased the Phillips 66 Service Station and added three more service station in the Goodland area. Mr. Washburn was instrumental in organizing the Reserve Fire Department and served as its first chief for 18 years. He also served as chief of the Reserve Police Department for several years. In 1978 he was the manager of the Husky Truck Stop and in the late 1980s he moved to Pine Bluffs to manage the Ampride Truck Stop.
He liked bowling and golfing with his late wife.
Preceding him in death were his second wife, Pat and his parents.
Survivors include two sons, Sam (Janet) Washburn of Lewisville, Texas and Mark (Lisa) Washburn of Grand Island, Neb.; two brothers, Dan Washburn of Ponder, Texas and Dennis Washburn of Topeka; and four grandchildren.
A memorial service will be held in Pine Bluffs at a later date. There will be no visitation. Mr. Washburn was cremated at his request.
Schrader Funeral Home, 2323 Carey Avenue, Cheyenne, Wyo., handled the arrangements.

“Early Bird” Town Hall Meeting

Senator Ralph Ostmeyer and Representative Jim Morrison will be in Goodland on Saturday, Feb. 27 from 7-8 a.m. at the Goodland High School Auditorium

The State of Kansas’ \$400,000,000 budget deficit will be the focus of the town hall meeting. Questions will be generated from the health care, education, transportation and agriculture sectors of Sherman County.

PLAN ON ATTENDING TO VOICE YOUR CONCERN

Hosted by Sherman County Farm Bureau

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Happy 90th Birthday Party!

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Saturday, Feb. 20

2-4 p.m.

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March 6, 2010 at Goodland Elks Lodge

Dinner & Dancing

Soup Supper 4-7 p.m.
\$7/adult 10 and under \$3.00
Dance from 9 p.m. to 12 a.m.
Free will offering

Silent Auction
7-9 p.m.

BAKE SALE

4 p.m. until gone (free will offering)

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